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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GLOBE STREET & CO., 80, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTCH, Ladgate Circus, E.C. BATES, HENDY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL DRACON & CO., 167 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

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CHINA:—MACAO, MESSRS A. DE MELO & Co., SINGAPORE, CAMPBELL & Co., AMOY, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co., FOOCHOW, HEDGES & Co., SHANGHAI, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, FUKUOKA, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Banks.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL: £200,000.
RESERVE FUND: £100,000.

BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.
THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

On CURRENT ACCOUNTS, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On FIXED DEPOSITS.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.

Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL: £5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND: £1,000,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—The Hon. W. K. WILSON.
Deputy Chairman—A. MULVIER, Esq.

ADOLF ANDER, Esq. H. D. O. FORBES, Esq.
E. R. BELLON, Esq. H. HOPKINS, Esq.
J. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. F. D. SASSOON, Esq.
W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER, HONGKONG:—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

SHANGHAI:—E. W. CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East,
Hongkong, August 15, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP: £3,200,000.
RESERVE FUND: £800,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, RUE RENOUVE, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOULON, SAN FRANCISCO, MANHATTAN, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALZUTTA, HANGOW, NANTES, MELBOURNE.

LONDON BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND, THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on terms to be ascertained on application. Grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. G. VOUILLEMON, Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

Banks.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL: £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per annum.
" 6 " " 4 " " "
" 12 " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

MR. ERNST LUDWIG REUTER has been authorized to sign our Firm per Procuration.

PUSTAU & Co.
Hongkong, October 13, 1880. no18

MR. THOMAS GIBB WILLIAMSON has been authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong from this date.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1880. no1

WE have authorized Mr. JOHN PATRICK LALOR to sign the Name of our Firm.

MARGESSON & Co.
Macao, 5th October, 1880. no5

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS of the ELLIOTT'S METAL COMPANY, Birmingham, for Hongkong and China.

MELCHERS & Co.,
Hongkong, Sept. 13, 1880. de18

Entertainment.

"Moonlight Masquerade" at the Kowloon.

T-O-N-I-G-H-T, THE 20th OCTOBER, 1880.

Tickets to be had at Messrs KRUSS & Co., HONGKONG HOTEL, and Mr. A. HAHN; Masques to be had at Messrs KRUSS & Co.; Wigs to be had at Mr. W. P. MOORE, and HONGKONG HOTEL.

N.B.—The Steam launch Morning Star will be at the Coast of disposal from WEDNESDAY 8 P.M. to THURSDAY 3 A.M.

A. HAHN.
Hongkong, October 20, 1880. oc21

IF the weather should be unfavorable TONIGHT, the advertised MASQUERADES will take place at FLETCHER'S BUILDINGS, No. 6, Queen's Road East.

A. HAHN.
Hongkong, October 20, 1880. oc21

For Sale.

MUNTZ PATENT YELLOW METAL SHEATHING, all sizes.

AND COMPOSITION NAILS, in Lots to Suit Purchasers.

G. R. LAMBERT, Pedlar's Wharf Buildings.
Hongkong, July 23, 1880.

JULES MUM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts: £16 per 1 doz. Case.
Pints: £17 per 2 doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

MULLER FRERES'S CELEBRATED OLD BRANDY, in Cases of 1 dozen Qts.

Apply to HESSE & Co., Sole Agents.
Hongkong, Sept. 1, 1880. 1ja81

NOW READY. PRICE, \$1.00.

"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW," By E. H. PARKER.

Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 6, 1879.

JAPAN SALTZ WATER MANUFACTURED BY J. LLEWELLYN & Co. JAPAN SPRING WATER AT THEIR STEAM HEATED WATER FACTORY, Shanghai.

Agents in Hongkong—Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, July 31, 1880. 31ja81

A Large Cooking Range, Copper Cooking Utensils, Jelly Moulds, &c., &c. Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE.—As usual.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, Oct. 18, 1880. no11

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. HAVE FOR SALE, Ex "GLAMIS CASTLE" AND "GLENEAGLES" CARTRIDGE CASES. CARTRIDGE MACHINES. CARTRIDGE BELTS. CARTRIDGE EXTRACTORS. THICK AND THIN WADES. SHOT—All Sizes. POWDER—(Pigeon & Wills). DRAM FLASKS.

CRICKETING SHOES. KNICKERBOCKER HOSE. DRESS BOOTS. BOXING GLOVES.

Hongkong, October 13, 1880. no1

KELLY & WALSH HAVE just received Ex "FRENCH MAIL," their NEW STOCK OF CHRISTMAS CARDS:—

"Memoranda Tablets for 1880,"
Friming's "Indian Gardening,"
Knox's "Manual of Anatomy,"
Johnson's "Hall Map of World,"
on roller, \$ 7.50
Urquhart's "Electro Plating," 2.00
Friming's "Fors Clavigera," 4.00
"New Judy Annual," 40
Jeffries' "Round about a Great Estate," 2.50
Mark Twain's "Tramps Abroad," 2.50
New Health Primers—"Brain Work," "The Heart," each, 1.75
Proctor's "Star Atlas," 3.25
"Young on the Horse," 3.00
Sankey's "Hymns with Music," from 40
Hoskier's "Telegraph Cables," 1.50
Lewy's "History of British Commerce," 6.50

Hongkong, October 11, 1880.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, under power contained by Bill of Sale, ON THURSDAY, the 21st October, 1880, at 3 o'clock p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Pedlar's Wharf, The well known CUTTER YACHT "NAIAD," of 29 Tons Register, Length 51 feet 1 inch, Beam 11 feet 4 inches, and Depth of Hold 9 feet 10 inches; she was built in Hongkong by JOHN JACK in 1867, and had a New Suit of SAILED made by W. DOLAN in 1878.

With everything Complete as per inventory, which can be seen at the Undersigned.

Also, MOORINGS, &c.

Terms.—Cash on fall of the hammer.

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, Oct. 16, 1880. oc21

AUCTION OF ELEGANT PARISIEN-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, PLATED-WARE, PICTURES, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN BILLIARD TABLES, &c., &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (under Power contained in Bill of Sale and under Distraint for Rent), on THURSDAY, the 11th November, at Noon, THE STOCK-IN-TRADE, FURNITURE, &c., of the "HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS," comprising:—

Drawing Room—Parisian-made Drawing-room Suite in Yellow and Crimson Rep. Mirrors, Clocks, Centre and Side Tables, Chromo-Lithographs, Piano, Carpet, Gasaliers, Curtains, &c., &c.

Dining Room—Carved Oak Sideboard, Walnut, Dining Tables, Plated Ware, Glass and Crockery, Chairs, Rep-covered Couches, Clocks, Mirrors, Fenders and Fire Irons, &c., &c.

Bed Rooms—Bedroom Suites in Yellow and Crimson Rep. Iron Bedsteads with Hair and Spring Mattresses, Mahogany Wardrobes with Mirror Fronts, Mahogany Marble-top Chests of Drawers, Dressing Tables, Chamber Stands, Bed Linen, Blankets, Carpets and Rugs.

Hall—Carved Oak Hatstand, Clocks, Marble-top Tables, Morocco-covered Settees.

Billiard Room—One English Billiard Table, by Burroughes & Watts; Two American Tables, by Fletch & Collender; Billiard Balls, Cues, Marking Boards, Billiard Lamps, Gasaliers, Solid Bronze Statuette Clock and Candelabra to Match, Chromo-Lithographs, Marble-top Side Tables, Marble-top Bar, Morocco-covered Settees, &c., &c.

Stores—Sherry, Port, Claret, Beer, &c., &c.

Also, A Large Cooking Range, Copper Cooking Utensils, Jelly Moulds, &c., &c. Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE.—As usual.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, Oct. 18, 1880. no11

To Let.

KOWLOON HOTEL, well furnished, having a BILLIARD TABLE, Two BILLIARD ALLEYS, and One SHOOTING GALLERY.

Apply to D. NO. BROJKE, Hongkong Hotel.
Hongkong, October 12, 1880. oc26

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire Godowns to be let.

MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1880. no1

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL.

THE DWELLING HOUSES—Nos. 31 and 33, WELLINGTON STREET, OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS, now in the occupation of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., with Strong Room attached; also other OFFICES and CHAMBERS in the same Building.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 6, MOSQUE TERRACE.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, October 13, 1880.

COAL GODOWNS—TO LET.

BURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 43, 46 and 46A, PRAYA EAST; with Private Wharf.

THE GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 111A and 113, WANCHI ROAD; Possession on the 1st of October.

Apply to SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, September 13, 1880.

FIRST FLOOR and GROUND FLOOR of House No. 4, PRAYA EAST (known as the BLUE HOUSE); Possession on the 1st of October.

Also, The HOUSE opposite the WANCHI PIER, Marine Lot No. 29, containing 8 Rooms, etc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on; Immediate possession.

Apply to MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

ON MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, July 26, 1879.

N.O. 8, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing EIGHT ROOMS and OUT-DOORS. No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, September 26, 1880.

MR. A. HAHN'S DANCING CLASSSES have been reopened on the 1st October.

Pedlar's Buildings, No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.
Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

UNDER an Order of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, made on the 7th day of October, 1880, the Intervenor, Receiver, a proctor, by the Court in Suit No. 10, KWAN TUNG & Co. v. OTHERS, FOR SOLE POSSESSION OF CHAIRS, is required to SKEL:

185 Boxes PREPARED OPTUM now lying in Store at San Francisco.
80 Boxes PREPARED OPTUM now lying in Store at Hongkong.
110 Boxes PREPARED OPTUM now lying in Store at Sydney.

Tenders will be received till Noon of THURSDAY, the 2nd October current. Full Particulars and Conditions of SALE can be ascertained on Application to the Intervenor, who does not hold himself to accept the highest or any Tender.

W. K. SWICK.
Hongkong, October 12, 1880. oc21

TENDERS will be RECEIVED at this OFFICE up till Noon of WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, for Executing REPAIRS to the ROOF of the CAPTAIN'S SHED, Royal Naval Yard, according to Specification and Conditions, which can be seen on Application to the NAVAL STOREKEEPER.

The lowest, or any Tender, will not be necessarily accepted.

E. B. JOREY, Naval Storekeeper.
H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, October 11, 1880. oc27

THE "FAR EAST." THE ISSUES OF 1878 WANTED. Apply at this OFFICE.

Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office will be held at the OFFICE of the undersigned, No. 7, QUEEN'S ROAD on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at Half past Two o'clock p.m.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office.
Hongkong, October 1, 1880. oc28

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

IN accordance with instructions received from the Board of Directors the HONGKONG BRANCH of the BANK will be CLOSED on the 30th September. Messrs JARDINE & Co. will act as the BANK'S AGENTS at this Port.

K. HORNE BOYD, Acting Manager.
Hongkong, September 22, 1880. no1

NOTICE.

The Undersigned, hereby give Notice that I will, on the 1st of OCTOBER, 1880, at my DEPT. (last and second) at noon, or BILL, Note, or other document Made Signed or Executed in my Name or on my behalf in this Colony or in other place by any of my Partners or employees without my knowledge and written consent, or by any Agent without written Authority or power of attorney, and that all Money Dealings and Transactions had with FOK LOONG, KWONG HIM WOO, YU SHUN, or YEE SANG CHAN, will not be Recognized by me as valid and binding on me unless done with my written Authority or Guarantee.

SHE SANG KAI.
Hongkong, October 11, 1880. no11

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

Shanghai, 7th October, 1880.

A FOURTEENTH RETURN OF CAPITAL & ACCUMULATIONS at the Rate of TWO TAELS (The 2.00) per SHARE, will be made to Shareholders of Record 8th October, at the Office of the Liquidators, on TUESDAY, 19th October. Warrants will then be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders, or their lawful representatives, on presentation of Share-Certificates for endorsement.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 19th Instant, inclusive.

By Order, RUSSELL & Co., Liquidators.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANGHAI, will return to HONGKONG early in the Winter as usual.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Public are warned against receiving FIVE DOLLAR NOTES of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, numbered 122901 to 122950, dated 23rd May 1877, and signed by Edward Croft pro Manager and R. A. Nelson pro Accountant, these Notes having been Stolen.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, August 31, 1880.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, &c.

FROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in any Quantity on application to THE BORNEO Co., Ltd., Agents.
Hongkong, March 8, 1880. 3m81

Intimations.

TENDERS will be RECEIVED at this OFFICE up till Noon of WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, for Executing REPAIRS to the ROOF of the CAPTAIN'S SHED, Royal Naval Yard, according to Specification and Conditions, which can be seen on Application to the NAVAL STOREKEEPER.

The lowest, or any Tender, will not be necessarily accepted.

E. B. JOREY, Naval Storekeeper.
H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, October 11, 1880. oc27

Mr. Andrew Wind, News Agent, 60, 133, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK; is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail, Overland China Mail, and China Review.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co. CHRONOMETER, WATCH, AND CLOCK, JEWELLERS, SILVERSMITHS, AND OPTICIANS, Have been appointed Sole Agents for VIOLETBERRY and SON'S celebrated MARKING GLASSES, OPERA GLASSES, and TELESCOPES.

Hongkong, September 4, 1880. no4

NOW READY. A complete Report, in Pamphlet Form, (31 pages) of the proceedings in the RECENT LIBEL CASE of REGINA K. FITMAN, containing the whole of the Proceedings at the Police Court, full report of the trial in Criminal Sessions, with connected Correspondence and comments of the Press.

Pries per Copy, - - - 50 CENTS.

China Mail Office, Hongkong, June 19, 1880.

ANY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailors' Home, West Point.

Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

Shipping.

FOR NEWCHANG (DIRECT). The Steamship "Cleopatra," Capt. J. H. HARVEY, will be despatched for the above Port on SUNDAY, the 22nd Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, October 19, 1880. oc22

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship "Kwangtung," Captain YOUNG, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 24th Inst., at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, October 19, 1880. oc24

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Danish Steamer "Cleopatra," Capt. J. H. HARVEY, will have quick despatch for the above Port.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, September 29, 1880.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Norwegian Steamer "Hakon Adeler," Capt. M. H. F. J. JACKSON, will be despatched for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, October 12, 1880.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL (Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK and HAMBURG). The Steamship "Cleopatra," Captain A. TAYLOR, will be despatched as above on or about the 27th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, October 9, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship "Edmond," Capt. M. H. F. J. JACKSON, will be despatched on or about the 26th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, October 12, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship "Edmond," Capt. J. K. KEMPSON, will be despatched on or about the 29th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, October 12, 1880.

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship "H. Smith," Capt. H. SMITH, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, October 7, 1880.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship "Theodore," Capt. T. THEODORE, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, October 5, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship "Hannah H. Dudley," Capt. H. DUDLEY, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, October 5, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship "Cora," Capt. COOMBS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, September 22, 1880.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG. The S/S L.I.I. German Bark "Westphalia," Capt. WESTPHALIA, will load here and at Whampoa for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Hongkong, September 11, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship "Rosa Wirt," Capt. ROSA WIRT, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, August 12, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship "Alice Buck," Capt. ALICE BUCK, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.
Hongkong, August 30, 1880.

Insurances.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1800.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000
PERMANENT RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 230,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 263,268

TOTAL CAPITAL AND AGGREGATED RESERVE.....Tls. 913,268

April, 1880.

Directors. F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. W. M. BOYD, Esq. W. M. MEYER, Esq. J. H. PINCKNEY, Esq. F. D. HITCH, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI. Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH: Messrs BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent, 68 and 69, Cornhill.

Policies granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. Subject to a charge of 12 1/2 per cent. for interest on shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, October 1, 1880. 1oc81

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

For Sale.

MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co.

H AVE JUST RECEIVED

AMERICAN

Prime Eastern OIL, FINE

The Apple OIL, FINE

Cantonment OIL, FINE

Hops and MALT

Sourcet Pig's FEET

Assorted JAMS

Assorted VEGETABLES

Assorted MEATS

Assorted SOUPS

CORNISH

Pork Head CHEESE

Dried HAMS

Caviare

Cured HERRING

Whitaker's HAMS

Breakfast

Cured HONEY to Frame and

Pickled OYSTERS

Cured FISH

Bacon

Green FRUIT, in an E.C. Tins

Borden's Condensed MILK (very fresh)

Calf's FEET in Cask and Tins

Ginger Cakes

Milk BISCUIES

Soda BISCUIES

Water BISCUIES

Oyster BISCUIES

Back wheat FLOUR

CORNMEAL

RYE MEAL

HOMINY, Small and Large

SHILLIMAR FLOUR

PEANUTS

WALNUTS

SOFT SHEET ALMONDS

PRA NUTS

Canned Table Fruits.

Barley LEAF

GREEN AGES

APRICOTS

QUINCES

Tart FRUITS

Smoked BEEF

Smoked OYSTERS

Compressed ONION RINGS

Compressed CORNED BEEF

Assorted JELLIES in Glass Jars

Assorted PICKLES

Canned BEANS

Canned OLIVES

Canned CHOW-CHOI

Sausage MEAT

Canned SARDINES

Canned BEANS

Canned SALMON

PORK in 20 lb. Barrels

PORK in 10 lb. Barrels

Fruit BUTTER

Cranberry SAUCE

Apple SAUCE

Butter BEANS

Brown BEANS

Mails.

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The Company insures on MARINE

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To-day's Advertisements.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Spanish Steamer

"Eury,"

Captain PLANO, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 24th Instant, at

5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

REMEDIOS & Co.

HONGKONG, October 20, 1880.

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Belgrade, Sept. 19.—A band of 1,800 Serbian brigands has crossed to the Hungarian side of the Danube. A detachment of troops has been ordered to cross the river and attack the band. There is much alarm among the traders of Western Serbia because of the recent large-scale sale of hands of robbers.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 19.—The *Telegraph* referring to the secrecy maintained in regard to the objects of the Russian expedition to the north, says: "The English are full of polio, and the execution of Russia's intentions in regard to Merv is no longer necessary. A will only be necessary to keep part of the Steppe, as a warning to the Turks in the future. The stricture concludes as follows: 'March of victors and conquerors. Let Russia's eyes be directed to internal development.'"

Berlin, Sept. 16.—The German Government has ordered the expulsion of the prince Jean, who emigrated to Alsace-Lorraine.

Sept. 17.—A private telegram received from the czar's Warsaw announced that the emperor has appeared in the neighboring district.

Sept. 18.—A St. Petersburg correspondent telegraphs as follows: "An outbreak of insurrection in Eastern Rumania is only a question of a few weeks."

Sept. 18.—The Minister of Finance, Harthauf, has just returned from London, stating that though he is not yet able to enter into the details of the incorporation of Alsace with the Imperial Customs territory, it is certain as soon as the necessary preparations are completed.

The *North German Gazette* in referring to the recent newspaper controversy about the German claims to Alsace-Lorraine, says: "The German

country and general peace by the continued overruling over the government of the Imperial provinces at a moment when Freemen are considering whether they should cease to make their request the central policy of the French people."

China.

SHANGHAI.

(News.)

The C. M. S. S. S. steamer *Haefting*, Captain Charles H. Wells, left Hankow on the 2nd instant for Tientsin, with 73 soldiers on board, and arrived at that port on the 7th, after experiencing a heavy N. W. gale which lasted for about twelve hours. The troops disembarked by order of His Excellency the Viceroy, and left the next day at two o'clock. The steamer made the trip from Hankow to Tientsin, and the sojourn to Shanghai, by way of Chefoo, in ten days, including all stoppages, which is, we think, the quickest trip of that route yet recorded.

(Mercury.)

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Charles B. Brooks, who died on Sunday morning between 8 and 9 o'clock, after a short and painful illness. It is twenty years since deceased B. S. arrived in Canton, he was buried at the New Cemetery this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The China Merchant S. N. Co.'s godown in Ningpo, which have been taken over by the firm for the purpose of public storage.

to be in the man, who is anxiously expected up north, arrived here last night (13.4) by the *Kiang-Pan*.

Japan.
(Mail)

A sad accident, arising out of the recent typhoon, occurred in Tokio yesterday. A three-story Japanese house had been partially twisted by the violence of the wind, and some workmen were employed to try and pull it back into its original position. While some six or seven of the

the house and only collapse with a crash
all the men received injury to more or less
severe, one unfortunate fellow having his
ribs literally torn from their sockets by
splinter.

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A letter from Fusan, Korea, states that
the steamer *Amami Maru*, lately built at
Yokohama, arrived at that port on the 10th
of March. As it was her first voyage, the
Japanese Consul and several leading officials
of the Consulate together with the press

work a trip round the island of Zikkoto to her, after which an entertainment in foreign style was served up on board. The vessel was built at the shipbuilding yard of Nagasaki, and will be used principally for communication between Japan and Corea making two trips a month.

THE GALEAT KOBE.

all its severity, and the damage to property in the foreign Concession and in the native town was very extensive. From eight o'clock in the evening till nearly midnight the storm raged, and, according to the *Huigo News*, strong and new-built houses shook to their very foundations, and it was dangerous to walk in the streets. The following morning scenes of wreck and ruin could be seen in every street. Some buildings had entirely collapsed, roofs had been

been uprooted, and the streets were everywhere strewn with broken tiles and zinc water-spouts and broken timbers. The most extensive damage is that which has befallen the Kobe Regatta and Athletic Club, for the Boat-house was entirely destroyed, and with it all the boats—Canton four, single and doub

contained; and this is not all the loss sustained by the Club, for the Theatre and Gymnasium building at the southeast corner of the Recreation Grounds are entirely destroyed. At the same time a large quantity of tiles were carried from the roof of the main building, while at the Kobe Iron Works and the Kobe Paper Mills the damage was more extensive. The British Consulate premises also suffered considerably as a part of the roof of the East wing of the Consulate was away, while the walls of the building itself are said to have gone several inches out of plumb. Three of the finest trees at the Saana Myia Temple were up-rooted, one of them falling on the Temple and doing much injury. In every street the buildings

have sustained damage, a description of which occupies nearly three columns of the *News*. The Japanese houses do not seem to have suffered much, the damage being principally among foreign-built houses, while the storm was not so severely felt in the harbour as it would have been had the wind come from the opposite direction. Native craft however, suffered considerably, and four boatsmen are known to have been drowned, and several others are reported missing.

